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In re United States Patent Application of: Docket No.: 4197-125 Applicants: BUETTNER, Reiner, et al. Conf. No.: 4140 Application No.: 10/552.086 Art Unit: 4151 Date Filed: October 4, 2005 Examiner: Rvan Ochvlski Title: CELLULOSED MOLDED Customer No.: ARTICLE HAVING A 23448 FUNCTIONAL EFFECT AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

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RESPONSE TO MARCH 26, 2010 OFFICE ACTION IN U.S. PATENT APPLICATION NO. 10/552,086

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Sir:

This responds to the March 26, 2010 Office Action in the above-identified application. The time for responding to the March 26, 2010 Office Action without extension was set at three months, or June 26, 2010. Because June 26, 2010 fell on a Saturday, such deadline is automatically extended to Monday, June 28, 2010 through the operation of 37 CFR 1.7. This Response is therefore timely.

Please amend the claims of the above-identified patent application as set out in Section I (Amendments to the Claims) hereof.

Remarks concerning the amendments to the claims and the substance of the March 26, 2010 Office Action are set out in **Section II (Remarks)** hereof.